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## STATEMENTS ARE NOW AT VARIANCE

BELIEVED THAT O'SHAUGNESSY AND WASHINGTON ARE NOT WORKING IN HARMONY.

## DIFFER ABOUT HUERTA

American Historical Society Capital City. It has been given that Huerta will not be a candidate—Washington differs.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 8.—Charge O'Shaugnessy's public declaration at Mexico City that no assurance has been given him that Huerta will not be a candidate and the authoritative declarations here that such assurances have been given, has raised the question of whether or not O'Shaugnessy and the state department are working in harmony.

The department emphatically says there is harmony. Diplomats say that O'Shaugnessy's denial is required by the policy in the Mexican situation that the understanding is that the Mexico City authorities will maintain to the last that the constitution alone prevents Huerta's candidacy, so as not to appear to yield to the American demands.

### THEIR FATE WEDNESDAY.

Drew and Caminetti. Convicted as White Slavers, Will be Sentenced.

San Francisco, Sept. 7.—(With the "whit slavery" cases against Maury I. Diggs and F. Drew Caminetti, the government turned its attention today to preparation for the trial next Wednesday of Diggs and his former attorney, Charles B. Harris of Sacramento on charges of attempted subornation of perjury in connection with the trial of Diggs.

The sentencing of Diggs and Caminetti for violation of the Mann white slave traffic act in transporting Marsha Warrington and Lola Norris from Sacramento to Reno also has been fixed for Wednesday.

### Daughter of Chief Dies.

Tulsa, Okla., Sept. 7.—Mrs. Henry Armstrong, daughter of Chief Johnny-cake, the last tribal chief of the Delaware Indians, died at Coodys Bluff, near Nowata, where she had lived for forty years. She was 58 years old. Mrs. Armstrong's maiden name was Anna Johnny-cake. Her family was among the most prominent of the Delawares.

## EARLY GINNINGS SHOW INCREASE

COTTON GINNED TO SEPTEMBER FIRST MORE THAN SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 8.—The 1913 cotton ginned before September 1st is given in the census bureau's first ginning report of the present season today as 794,000 bales, counting round as half bales, compared with 730,935 bales last year.

Texas ginnings this year were 649,690 compared with 674,249 last year; Oklahoma, 4,384 compared with 323; Arkansas, 2,200 compared with 81; Louisiana 7,566, compared with 1,724.

This year's ginning is the greatest quantity ever ginned in season before September 1. The census department officials say that is probably due to the early maturing of the crop and the effort of the farmers to beat the boll weevil.

Up to Saturday night the county weigher had handled 274 bales of this year's crop. 99 bales were weighed Saturday.

### ANOTHER VENIRE NEEDED.

Trouble Being Experienced in Getting Jury for Ft. Worth Arson Case. Fort Worth, Texas, Sept. 8.—All except fifteen of the special venire summoned for the Lee Weatherford trial for the alleged burning of Rev. Norris' church were excused when the trial opened today. Court adjourned until this afternoon to summon a new venire.

### Masons Use Grand Canyon.

Phoenix, Ariz., Sept. 8.—The initiation session of the Arizona Masons being held in the depths of the Grand Canyon of the Colorado has attracted such widespread attention that an immense crowd gathered here to witness the beginning of the ceremonies today. Several moving picture companies have sent men to "film" such of the proceedings as are not secret.

## GOOD ROADS MEETING TODAY

ARDMORE-MULKEY ASSOCIATION HOLDING SESSION AT HIGHLIGHT SCHOOL HOUSE.

The Ardmore-Mulkey good roads association are holding a big meeting at the Highlight school house this afternoon. The meeting was called for the purpose of selecting an engineer to lay out the surveys and oversee the work. Col. Sidney Suggs, state highway commissioner is present and will deliver an address on good roads and road building.

The members of this association are in earnest about good roads and the rolls contain the names of all the prominent citizens of that district who want good roads and are determined to have them.

Commissioner Young will address the meeting also and will defend his plans for working state convicts on the county roads.

### MADE DRESSES IN SUBWAY.

Six Young Women of Paris Win a Wager Making Gowns.

Paris, Sept. 8.—Six young women recently cut and completely made fashionable gowns during a 20-minute ride in the subway. This was done on a bet.

### Found Gas In Stump.

McAlester, Okla., Sept. 7.—Evidences of oil turned up by field ants and a posthole digger have been reported from Comanche county, but Pittsburg county timber cutters have sprung a new one in indications of Oklahoma's hidden wealth. While cutting timber five miles south of McAlester Saturday morning, workmen were surprised at a sound, seemingly like escaping steam. They located the sound as coming from a hollow stump whose trunk they had just felled, and, lighting a match, discovered that it was an energetic flow of illuminating gas.

### SCORES CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

British Justice Says Father is Guilty of Manslaughter

London, Sept. 8.—In the central criminal court today, Justice Rowlett decided that a father is guilty of manslaughter after the death of a child if he relies solely on the services of a Christian Science practitioner during a serious illness.

### To Investigate Thaw Escape.

Beacon, N. Y., Sept. 8.—A thorough investigation will be made by the grand jury into all of the conditions which were responsible for the escape of Harry K. Thaw from Matteawan Insane Asylum last month. Howard H. Barnum, the keeper, who was arrested after Thaw got away from Matteawan, will be one of the principal witnesses. Supt. Krieb of Manhattan will also testify in the proceedings.

### Postpone Currency Bill.

(Washington, D. C., Sept. 8.—The administration's currency bill was not brought into the house today as had been expected. It was deferred until tomorrow or Wednesday.

## TACKLE GOOD ROADS MOVEMENT IN MISSOURI



Three hundred and fifty thousand of Missouri's able-bodied citizens recently armed themselves with pick and shovel and for two days devoted their energies to improving the highways and roads of the state. The photograph shows Governor Major of Missouri (left) and Governor Hedges of Kansas (right) working side by side on a bad piece of road.

## INTERURBAN PROJECT GROWS BRIGHTER DORSETT CARTER AND COL. HAND HERE

Dorsett Carter, railroad builder, and one of the busiest men in Oklahoma, is here to look over the country along the proposed route of the Springfield-Woodford interurban. Accompanying him is Col. F. C. Hand, the engineer who surveyed the Oklahoma Central and who surveyed the road from here to Waurika. Mr. Carter would make no statement when he arrived. He stated that he would look over the ground and make an investigation. He was pleased with the interurban enthusiasm he encountered here. He said every man spoke favorably of the proposition. He had never visited a town where the people were interested so much as they are here and he says that such enthusiasm will accomplish great things.

Col. Hand said he would go over the route and make a report. He said the Ardmoreite took the matter of this survey up with him some two years ago, but at that time he could not give his attention to the matter. Ardmore people without scarcely an exception are interested in the proposed road.

R. A. Fox stated this morning that a man who had courage enough to invest in bank stock would certainly invest in this road as it would be a paying proposition from the start and its building means a great deal to Ardmore.

P. C. Dings stated that he was willing to take as much of the stock as he was able to take and would give as much of his time to the promotion as he could spare from his business.

J. S. Connelly said the building of the road would mean a brighter and a bigger and a better Ardmore and a richer Carter county. He has sent

copies of the Ardmoreite containing articles on the proposition to his business associates in Carthage and other cities in Missouri.

Thomas W. Hunter of Hugo said stock purchase in the proposed interurban appealed to him as a strictly money making proposition. He has holdings in the oil fields but nothing in the territory of the proposed road, but he said he would take some of the stock and believed he would be well paid in dividends.

### LIGHTNING KILLS LITTLE GIRL.

Struck While Returning Home from Cotton Field.

Waco, Texas, Sept. 7.—Edna McGary, aged 10 years, daughter of Mrs. Bud McGary, was struck and killed by lightning at Riesel, fourteen miles southeast of here, yesterday afternoon. The little girl was returning home from the cotton field when the fatal bolt came.

With the exception of a few bruises on her body and the partial scorching of her hair above the temple, little evidence of the lightning's deadly work could be seen.

### JEROME IN COATICOOK.

New York Lawyer Will Likely Be Dismissed on Technicality.

Coaticook, Sept. 8.—Attorney Jerome arrived here this afternoon for his gambling hearing. A small crowd greeted him.

It is predicted that the charge against him will be dismissed on a technicality. The charge says he played in a station, whereas he was fifty feet from it.

## THAW'S "GUARDIAN ANGEL"



Ever since Harry Thaw was a boy his sister, Mrs. George Lauder Carnegie, has been termed his guardian angel. That the title has not been conferred upon her without deserving it, has been proven many times during the past seven years, or ever since the killing of Stanford White. When Thaw was arrested in Canada Mrs. Carnegie, with her husband, hastened to his side. The picture was taken at Sherbrooke, Canada.

### AMERICAN LIVES IN DANGER.

Des Moines Hurrying to Huerta Plata Which is Being Shelled.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 8.—American lives and property are in great danger at Huerta Plata in the Dominican republic, where the revolution is in progress. Dominican gunboats are shelling Huerta Plata. The American gunboat ex. Moines is hurrying there.

### Miss McCall to Be a Nun.

New York, Sept. 8.—Miss Nora McCall, daughter of the late Ambrose McCall and niece of Tammany's candidate for mayor, Edward E. McCall, gave up society today to become a nun in the convent of the Sacred Heart, from which she graduated two years ago. She says there is nothing lasting in the life of a society belle and it does not attract her. Miss McCall has a wonderful voice.

## CRAZY NEGRO SENT TO NORMAN

DOCTORS SAY HE HAS ALL SYMPTOMS OF HYDROPHOBIA. VIOLENT CASE.

Sheriff Garrett and Deputy Kendall left today for Norman having in charge a violently insane negro that the doctors believe is suffering from an attack of hydrophobia.

The negro, Jesse Swan, has been working near Springer and was brought here Friday afternoon. He was so violent that he had to be chained to the floor of his cell to keep him from injuring himself against the iron bars against which he would hurl himself with violent force. His is a bad case, and the officers had their hands full getting him to the institution at Norman.

## HOT SPRINGS MAY HAVE BOND ISSUE

GOVERNOR HAYS MAY CALL A SPECIAL SESSION TO GIVE A COMMISSION FORM.

Hot Springs, Ark., Sept. 8.—It was announced today that Governor Hays expected to return here soon to hear requests of citizens for a special session of the legislature to grant Hot Springs the commission form of government and the right to issue bonds. The governor told private interviewers over the wire that he had heard of no such movement.

### DEMOCRATIC TARIFF BILL.

Tariff Bill Expected to Pass the Senate Tomorrow at the Latest.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 8.—The democratic tariff bill was called in the senate today from the committee with the intention of the leaders to pass it by tomorrow at the latest and possibly late today. The bill was introduced in the house just five months ago.

### Farmer Killed by Gas.

Wichita, Kan., Sept. 7.—While drilling for water in a well fourteen feet deep on his farm four miles east of Dexter, J. M. Clark, a stockman, was struck by a heavy flow of gas. Before help could arrive he was dead.

P. Baller and L. Leader helpers, were made unconscious, but were revived. The roar of the gas was heard at the house half a mile distant and gave the alarm. A heavy flow of gas was struck on the Branson farm, near Clark's farm.

### Urges Sale of Indian Lands.

Washington, Sept. 7.—Representative Carter of Oklahoma is urging the Interior Department to sell without waiting for the appraisal of town-site lands the farming and grazing portions of the segregated mineral lands in Southeastern Oklahoma. He says Commissioner of Indian Affairs Sells is in full sympathy with an early opening of these lands.

## TO INVESTIGATE CONVICTS' DEATH

THREE SEPARATE INVESTIGATIONS INTO DEATH OF TEXAS CONVICTS.

## APPEALED TO GUARDS

Four Negro Survivors Assert That They Yelled Repeatedly During the Night to Guards That "Men Are Dying in Here" But Without Avail.

Richmond, Texas, Sept. 8.—Three separate investigations into the death of eight negroes Saturday night by overcrowding them in a dark cell at a convict farm, are under way today.

Four negro survivors asserted today that they yelled repeatedly during the night "Men are dying in here," and that the guards replied "You will all wish you were dead if you don't make less noise."

The negroes are said to have died because they were furnished foul air. The four negroes who survived were near the air holes. All of the victims were young negroes. The twelve blacks were packed into a cell nine feet long and seven feet wide.

### TOOK OWN CHILD'S MONEY.

Jury Finds Him Guilty—Gets Five Years in the Pen.

Paul's Valley, Okla., Sept. 7.—The jury in the district court brought in a verdict against Harry Choate, a prominent Indian of Paoli, giving him five years in the penitentiary. Choate was charged with embezzling his own child's money in the sum of about \$1,100, in a complaint sworn to by County Judge Bob Wallace. He was guardian of this child and sold its lands for the purpose of investment, according to his petition filed in the county court, but it developed that he had sold the land to a straw man, his brother-in-law, A. D. Davis, who never took possession, but obtained a loan on it, turning the proceeds to Choate who used the money individually.

A complaint has been filed against E. H. Carr and A. P. Cash, charging them with the same crime. Cash secured a mortgage of \$25,000, according to the charges of Judge Wallace, who is checking up every guardian in the county. Attorney Stanley says the Choate case is the test case and that he intends to prosecute all alike.

### Streams Drying Up.

Paris, Texas, Sept. 7.—Dr. J. H. Miller of Antlers, Okla., states that the Kiamata river is lower than it has been in forty years and that the smaller streams are nearly all dry.

## GRIEF STRICKEN MOTHER SUICIDES

FORMER RESIDENT OF ARDMORE ENDED HER LIFE IN OKLAHOMA CITY TODAY.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Sept. 8.—Grief-stricken over the accidental killing of her son, Otis, aged 14, who was shot to death while hunting with boy friends southwest of Capitol Hill Saturday, Mrs. Minnie Hume, who has been running a rooming house in Oklahoma City for several years, ended her life today by shooting herself with a revolver.

### To Bring Bodies Here.

T. C. Bridgman, undertaker of this city, was today advised that the bodies of both Mrs. Hume and her son would arrive here tomorrow for interment in the local cemetery. Mrs. Hume was a daughter of J. C. (Tam) Ewing, who was a well known sporting man of this city in the early days. Ewing was buried here in 1903.